

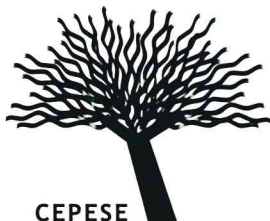


Oporto ECHIC Conference 2014

March, 03-05

Círculo Universitário do Porto

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EUROPEAN CONSORTIUM FOR

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HUMANITIES INSTITUTES AND CENTRES

Programme

Day 1

GRAND CHALLENGES FOR THE HUMANITIES

MONDAY March 3

13.00 Welcome and registration

14.00 Welcome by Prof. Luis Adão da Fonseca (University of Porto)

14.10 *Keynote I:* Susan Manning Memorial Lecture by Prof. Rosi Braidotti (Utrecht University, ECHIC Board) **The Academic and the Civic: Susan Manning's vision of the socially responsible university.**

CHAIR / Prof. Luis Adão da Fonseca

14.40 Discussion

14.55 Prof. Poul Holm (Trinity College Dublin, ECHIC Chair) - **Early findings of the Humanities World Report.**

15.10 CHAIR / Prof. Luis Adão da Fonseca

15.25 *Keynote II:* Prof. Rafael Alvira (University of Navarra) - **The articulation between the Humanities and the Business World: an interdisciplinary approach.**

CHAIR / Prof. Jaime Aurell (University of Navarra)

15.55 Discussion

16.15 Tea break

16.45 *Panel I:* Grand Challenge I Environmental Humanities: Lecture by Prof. Steven Hartman (Mid Sweden University) - **The Future of the Environmental Humanities: new models of integrated research for an emerging field in Europe.**

CHAIR / Prof. Poul Holm

17.20 Discussion

18.00 **Environmental Humanities, ECHIC perspective: Debate and conclusions.**

CHAIR / Prof. Rosi Braidotti

18.30 Back to hotels

20.30 Conference Dinner (Pousada do Porto, Freixo Palace Hotel)

Day 2 / 3

ANNUAL MEETING ECHIC, GRAND CHALLENGE II AND WORKSHOPS

TUESDAY March 4

09.30 Welcome with coffee and tea

10.00 **ECHIC Annual Meeting**

CHAIR / Prof. Poul Holm

11.00 *Panel II: Grand Challenge II - European Humanities in a Globalizing World Panel: Introduction, followed by short statements* / Prof. Luis Adão da Fonseca

/ Prof. Eduardo Manzano (Center for Humanities and Social Sciences, ECHIC Board)

/ Prof. Kirill Ole Thompson (National University of Taiwan)

/ Prof. Svetlana Slapšak (Institutum Studiorum Humanitatis, Ljubljana)

CHAIR / Dr. Cristina Pimenta (CEPESE)

12.00 Discussion

12.30 Lunch (Círculo Universitário do Porto)

13.15 Panel Best Practices

_ MEMBERS PRESENT THEIR BEST PRACTICE

/ Prof. Helena Buescu (University of Lisbon)

/ Dr. Cristina Pimenta

/ Dr. Francesca Spigarelli (University of Macerata)

CHAIR / Prof. Eduardo Manzano

14.00 Discussion

14.30 *Workshops / Part 1 **

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/ Identify (common) obstacles and challenges

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15.45 Tea break

16.15 *Workshops / Part 2 **

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18.00 Back to hotels

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* The discussion on each topic will be held, simultaneously, in three different rooms, all located in the main building.

WEDNESDAY March 5

09.30 Welcome with coffee and tea

10.00 Report of workshop sessions

CHAIR / Prof. Eduardo Manzano

10.45 Discussion

11.30 **Conclusions: Identification of strategies that work; actions points ECHIC network**, by Prof. Rosi Braidotti

12.15 ECHIC statement on Humanities and the Grand Challenges, by Prof. Poul Holm

12.30 Lunch buffet (Círculo Universitário do Porto)

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